

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) An adhesive tape application tool for applying a long adhesive tape to an adherend having a long application surface and a projected line portion formed on the back of the application surface in the longitudinal direction of the application surface, ~~the~~ said adhesive tape application tool comprising an application part for pressing an adhesive tape against an application surface and a guidance part comprising three guide rollers having a tapered shape portion, and being in contact with the projected line portion in such manner that said guide rollers pinch the adherend together with ~~the~~ said application part, wherein ~~the~~ said guidance part is provided with guide rollers having a tapered shape portion positioned at both ends being installed with their top directed in one direction, and the other guide roller having a tapered shape portion being installed with its top directed in the other direction.

2. (Currently Amended) The adhesive tape application tool according to claim 1, wherein said other guide roller ~~having~~ has a tapered shape portion ~~is preferably~~ installed swingably in ~~direction of a central axis~~ direction.

3. (Currently Amended) The adhesive tape application tool according to claim 1 ~~or claim 2~~, wherein the adherend is can be pinched with resilience by ~~the~~ said application part and guidance part, and said tool further comprises an opening and closing means for disengaging ~~the~~ said application part and guidance part from the adherend ~~is provided~~.

4. (New) The adhesive tape application tool according to claim 2, wherein the adherend can be pinched with resilience by said application part and guidance part, and said tool further comprises an opening and closing means for disengaging said application part and guidance part from the adherend.

5. (New) The adhesive tape application tool according to claim 1, wherein the adherend can be pinched with resilience by said application part and guidance part, and said application part and guidance part can be opened and closed so as to be disengaged from the adherend.

6. (New) The adhesive tape application tool according to claim 2, wherein the adherend can be pinched with resilience by said application part and guidance part, and said application part and guidance part can be opened and closed so as to be disengaged from the adherend.